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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Heavy rains have caused serious injury to cotton in Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. —— Fifty women and children were injured at the capitol in Washington in the rush to see the remains of the dead President. —— Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, was arraigned in court at Buffalo, N. Y., but he refused to plead or even to utter a word; he will be tried in the Supreme Court next Monday. —— Six miners were killed and three others were injured by the explosion in a coal mine in Colorado. —— A hurricane was reported as approaching Pensacola last night. —— The remains of President McKinley left Washington last night for Canton, O. —— The Democratic convention of Nebraska met yesterday; the Populist State convention also convened. —— President Roosevelt convened his first cabinet meeting yesterday. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call steady at 2½@5 per cent., the last loan being at 2½ per cent.; cotton steady, middling uplands 8¾c; flour more active and stronger; wheat—spot strong, No. 2 red 77½c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 66¼c; oats—spot firm, No. 2 38¼c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 17.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .36; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 1.01 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 7.8 feet

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Southeast storm signals were displayed at 10:20 A. M. at Jacksonville, Savannah, Charleston, Wilmington, Morehead and Washington. The tropical storm center was expected to reach the Gulf coast in the evening, and move northeast with increased velocity. Hurricane warning was ordered at Mobile and Cedar Keys.

Heavy showers in the cotton belt. Rainfall at Charlotte, 2.18; Cheraw, 1.54; Greenville, S. C., 2.20; Spartanburg, 2 23.

Fall conditions prevail in the West; frosts reported in Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—For North Carolina: Cooler Wednesday, shifting winds becoming northeasterly, probably high; Thursday generally fair

Port Almanac--September 18.

Sun Rises	5.44 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.04 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 20 M.
High Water at Southport	10.57 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.27 A. M.

Miss Maude Roosevelt, the actress, is a cousin of President Roosevelt.

It is said that Mr. McKinley carried $75,000 life insurance for the benefit of Mrs. McKinley.

Our trade in South Africa has more than trebled in the past five years, and we are not exploiting the flag in that section either.

A citizen of Kentucky has recently died at the alleged age of 122 years. He doesn't seem to have been in any hurry to leave Kentucy.

Over in London they are bragging about an old locomotive that has been running for about thirty years and has covered over 4,000,000 miles. In this country that old thing would have been dumped into the junk pile long ago.

About the longest distance telephone in this country is in Springfield, Ohio. A boarding house keeper there declares she is constantly receiving messages from the spirit land, by telephone. She never suspects the telephone exchange of being spirits.

According to official reports of the membership of the Grand Army of the Republic, it has fallen from 357,639 on June 30th, 1895, to 269,507 on June 30th, 1901, a loss of a little over 88,000. In ten years it has lost 128,000 members. But it is going for the pensions all the same.

A London man won a wager by cooking a plum-pudding ten feet below the surface of the Thames. He put the pudding in a tin can, put that in a sack of lime, dropped that into the water, and the heat generated by the slacking lime did the business for the pudding and also for the fellow who bet it couldn't be done.

The Smith family must have done something awful to the editor of the Columbia *State*. Sympathizing with the American people in wrestling with the pronunciation of Czolgosz' name, he suggests that Congress change it to Smith. Now editor Gonzales may be prepared to be jumped on by the first Smith man who runs up against him.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Dr. J. Harry Honnet has gone to New York.

— Mr. W. H. Daniel, of Nichols, S. C., was here yesterday.

— Mr. J. F. Taylor, of Magnolia, N. C., was here yesterday.

— Miss Mildred Davis left yesterday for Greensboro to enter college.

— Miss Minnie Wescott left yesterday to enter Littleton Female College.

— Dr. E. A. Hawes left yesterday afternoon to spend a vacation at Lincolnton, N. C.

— Miss May Belle Sneed left yesterday, returning to the Baptist Female University.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder returned yesterday from a very pleasant trip North.

— Messrs. W. H. Smith and E. B. Dewey, of Goldsboro, were Orton guests yesterday.

— Mr. John Hall left yesterday to resume his studies in the Boston School of Technology.

— Mrs. Thompson, of Baltimore, who has been visiting her father, Mr. E. P. Covington, returned home yesterday.

— Misses Gertrude Bryan and Ida Hankins left yesterday to resume their studies at the State Normal College, Greensboro.

— Mr. T. H. Thompson and family returned yesterday from a delightful sojourn of several weeks at Lenoir and Blowing Rock.

— Mrs. Rosa Grant returned yesterday from a very pleasant visit to Atlanta, where she was the guest of Mrs. J. O. Castleberry.

— Mrs. J. Harper Erwin, of Durham, who has been spending some time at Mr. E. C. Holt's cottage, Wrightsville Beach, returned home yesterday.

— Mrs. H. Rehder returned yesterday from Virginia, where she has been recuperating her health. Friends were glad to see her looking so well upon her arrival.

— Samuel Davis, Jr., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davis, rested very comfortably yesterday. Numerous friends of the parents and the little son hope for an early recovery.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Council, Jr., Miss Blanche Smith, of Wannanish; Mrs. K. B. Council and Mr. Jno. B. McFayden, of Council's, have gone to attend the Pan American Exposition.

— Mr. J. H. Newbury, of Magnolia, was registered at The Orton yesterday. Mr. Newbury was one of the number invited by Governor Aycock to attend the President's funeral service at Washington yesterday.

— Mr. Julian Southerland returned yesterday from Washington, where he attended the recent marriage of his brother, Mr. Lonnie Southerland, who, with his bride, is now on an extended tour through the West.

THE HOME BREWING COMPANY.

Main and All Branch Offices Close Thursday for President's Funeral.

A sympathetic and exceedingly appropriate act on the part of the Home Brewing Company, Richmond, Va., is embraced in the following letter, received yesterday by the manager of the Wilmington branch:

Home Brewing Company, Wilmington, N. C.

DEAR SIRS: As a mark of respect to the memory of the late President of the United States this brewery and its branch offices will be closed from 10 A. M. Thursday, Sept. 19th to Friday morning, Sept. 20th, 1901.

Yours very truly,
HOME BREWING CO.

Two Excursions Yesterday.

Nearly a thousand excursionists reached the city yesterday on special trains from Mullins, S. C. and Goldsboro, N. C. The Mullins excursion was run by Messrs. A. B. Nichols, H. W. McGehee, J. S. Oliver and J. W. Connerly. It left at 7:30 last evening. Hatch Brothers, the successful excursion managers, brought down the Goldsboro excursion which also left last night. These will probably be the last excursions of the season and our "out-of-town friends" will not be with us again until the great Elk's Fair and Carnival, Oct. 14th-19th, inclusive.

Presented Handsome Umbrella.

As a token of the esteem in which he was held by the Board of Directors, Mr. W. W. Turner, the retiring secretary of the Y. M. C. A., of this city, was presented with a very handsome silk umbrella just as he took his departure for Colorado Monday night. The presentation was made in behalf of the Board by Mr. Jno. Frank.

Mrs. Bell Bereaved.

Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Bell left last night for Greenville, N. C., in response to a telegram conveying to Mrs. Bell the sad news of the death of her brother, Mills R. Eure, Esq., a prominent young attorney of Greenville, and a son of Judge Miles L. Eure, of Norfolk. The funeral will be held at Greenville to-day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Banks—No business Thursday.
D. L. Gore Co.—Seed rye and wheat.
Home Brewing Co.—Close Thursday
Geo. O. Gaylord—Great success.
The People's Savings Bank—October 1st.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Mrs. G. J. McMillan—Music teacher.

PAVING CONTRACT.

Controversy Sprung Up Over the Award for the Princess Street Work.

AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD.

Competitive Bidders Appeared at Meeting Yesterday Afternoon and Claimed They Did Not Have Opportunity. Action Postponed.

It looks now as if there may be a hitch in the Aldermanic proceedings of a few nights ago in awarding the contract for the Princess street paving.

The first serious intimation of an interruption came at the semi-monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance yesterday afternoon, at which Chairman H. C. McQueen presided and Messrs. Jesse Wilder and S. P. McNair were present.

The action of the Aldermen in concurring in the award of the contract by the Streets and Wharves Committee to the Coal, Cement and Supply Company at $2.05 per square yard, was reported and Messrs. J. T. Riley and Roger Moore, competitive bidders, were present to resist the necessary approval of the bid by the Audit and Finance Board. Mayor Waddell was present, as chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, and Mr. S. P. Adams, manager of the Coal, Cement and Supply Company, with his counsel, Judge E. K. Bryan, was also present.

Routine business was first taken up and after the transaction of various and sundry items, including an approval of the extra appropriation of $350 for repairs to the roofs of the Front street market house and City Hall, the street paving controversy came on. Mayor Waddell stated the circumstances of the award and Chairman McQueen asked if there was more than one bid; that more than one bid appeared to be necessary.

Mr. Roger Moore, of the firm of Roger Moore's Sons & Co., read a letter from the then acting chairman of the committee, Alderman E. F. Johnson, asking bids for brick.

Mr. Adams, of the Coal, Cement & Supply Co., stated that there were two other bids from a Tennessee and a Virginia Company. Judge E. K. Bryan, counsel for Mr. Adams, said that Mr. Moore had as much notice as Mr. Adams or any one else; that the notice Mr. Moore received was sufficient. He did not think it just after Mr. Adams' bid was in to call for new ones again for the same work.

Mr. J. T. Riley, of the firm of J. T. Riley & Co., explained that he had received a letter from Mr. Johnson of like tenor as that received by Mr. Moore and he thought neither of them had the legal notice.

Mayor Waddell stated that Alderman Johnson had not turned over to the Board of Aldermen the bids of Messrs. Moore and Riley.

Mr. Adams stated that he did not know of the work until about two hours before, as Mr. Johnson had informed him that if his bid was not in by a certain hour the contract would be awarded to the Tennessee firm.

The matter was discussed pro and con in a desultory manner for some time and the Board of Audit and Finance at length decided to postpone action on the matter until a special meeting, which will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Alderman Maunder was also present at the meeting to urge concurrence in the Aldermen's appropriation of $4,500 for the new iron bridge on Fifth street over the railroad, but the meeting was so entirely taken up with other matters that Mr. Maunder had to wait until a subsequent meeting.

Y. M. C. A. JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

Membership Contest Organized Last Night by Selection of Competing.

The junior membership contest at the Y. M. C. A. was organized last night under most favorable auspices and from now until 6 o'clock on the evening of October 14th, the fight for new recruits will be fast and furious. The plan of the contest is the same as that of the "reds" and the "yellows" of the senior department, about a year ago and when the contest is closed the defeated team will serve at a banquet at which members of the successful team will be the guests of honor.

The teams organized last night under the banners of "white" and "pink" and were chosen as follows:

"Whites"—Gilbert Ford, General; Louis Moore, Captain; E. T. Hancock, Lieutenant; DeWitt Schonwald, Merrill Blair, Tom Wood, August Christoffersen, Frank Keith, Lawrence VonGlahn, Leland Whitney, Eugene LeGrande, Willie VonGlahn, James Willson.

"Pinks"—Walter McIntire, General; Wm. Hall, Captain; Marsden Smith, Lieutenant; Roger Schulken, Osborn Ford, Will Miller, James Wade, Joe Wilkinson, Geo. Dent, Bryan Newkirk, Joe Sebrell, Canova Peterson, Oscar Pearsall.

Postoffice Hours To-morrow.

On account of the funeral of the late President at Canton to-morrow, the following hours will be observed at the Wilmington postoffice: Carriers will make only the early morning delivery and collection. The general delivery and stamp windows will be open from 9 to 10 A. M. and from 6 to 7 P. M. The registry department will be open only from 9 to 10 A. M.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The office of R. G. Dun & Co. will be closed to-morrow out of respect to the late President.

— The regular weekly drills of the W. L. I., which were suspended during the Summer months, were resumed last night.

— The German steamship *Athen*, 1,412 tons, Captain Klunker, has sailed from Hamburg for Wilmington with a cargo of kainit.

— The rural mail delivery carrier will make no delivery or collection on to-morrow on account of the funeral of the late President.

— An engine and box car ran off the A. C. L. tracks last night opposite the Portner Brewing Company's plant. The damage was of no consequence.

— Mr. J. Keener Westbrook and his company of superb vaudeville entertainers have an engagement at the opera house at Marion, S. C., Monday evening.

— Justice McGowan yesterday committed to jail Bessie McFarland, colored, charged with forcible trespass upon the premises of Sallie Lewis, likewise colored.

— The main entrance to the City Hall was appropriately draped in mourning yesterday in sympathy with the nation's grief on account of the President's assassination.

— The steamer *Driver* is expected down from Willis' Creek to-day in order to clear for Fayetteville before the closing on the wharf Thursday. The *Hurt* was in port yesterday from Fayetteville.

— Splendid pictures of the late President McKinley, deftly draped in mourning, form attractive and patriotic window displays at Solomon's shoe store and at the store of D. Newman & Son.

— Cotton receipts yesterday were the heaviest of the year—1,150 bales, against 4,864 bales the same day last year. The quotations are unchanged, though New York closed higher yesterday afternoon.

— The marriage of Miss Della Maud Powell to Mr. E. Clayton Moore will be celebrated to night at 9 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Powell, No. 509 North Fourth street.

— The Baptist Young People's Union held a small but enthusiastic re-organization meeting at the First Baptist Church last night. The attendance was not large on account of the threatening weather.

— Henry Skipper and wife yesterday transferred by deed to Bertha Skipper for $500, lot in the western line of Sixth street at its intersection with the northern line of Swann street, the same being 45x75 feet in size.

— The date for the "Farmers' Dinner and Picnic" at Beattie's Bridge has been changed from September 27th to Thursday, October 3d. The change is found necessary owing to delay in getting material for a completion of the bridge.

DAMAGES FOR A MULE.

Interesting Suit, in Which the Western Union Telegraph Company is the Defendant, Tried Yesterday.

A novel and interesting suit referred to previously in these columns, in which Mr. W. L. Webb sues the Western Union Telegraph Company for the alleged failure to deliver promptly a telegram sent by his brother, Mr. J. W. Webb, of Burgaw, was heard in Justice Fowler's court yesterday afternoon and judgment reserved until to-day.

The plaintiff lives on Mr. W. E. Springer's plantation, a short distance from the city, and on or about July 1st was telegraphed to by his brother for a veterinary surgeon to attend a sick mule, the property of the plaintiff. The message was sent in care of Mr. W. E. Springer on Saturday and the same was not delivered, so the plaintiff claims. The animal recovered, but it is alleged his usefulness is impaired by the sickness and that the plaintiff is entitled to recover punitive and actual damages in the sum of $50. The question of "mental anguish" was also argued, but the court held that this element did not enter the suit and only the remaining two questions of damage would be considered.

The plaintiff is represented by L. V. Grady, Esq., and the defendant company by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy.

"CLIVETTE," THE MAGICIAN.

Small Audience Witnessed Performance in Legerdemain and Trick Performing.

It is plainly evident, judging from last night's small audience at the Opera House, that the minds of Wilmington theatre-goers do not turn to magicians and their performances. In this they are right if magicians like Clivette are to star and alone ask their patronage. But as to last evening's performance, Clivette was the "whole show," to use a trite expression, but then the "whole show" did not amount to a great deal. For versatility he was excellent, as he gave a combination of jugglery, legerdemain, etc. Some were good, some indifferent and some bad. His Fielding bottle feature was splendid, as was also the Silhouettes, but the legerdemain, the milk in the cocoanut, was off color. This part of the performance was not even stereotype, unless it be likened to some side-show exhibition. It was bad, bad.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Will be Conducted To-morrow Morning at First Baptist and St. James' Churches.

OBSERVANCE AT THE FORT.

Exercises Were Suspended Yesterday and Salutes Fired in Honor of Dead Chief. Many Business Houses Will Close On Thursday.

The memorial services in Wilmington to-morrow in honor of the late lamented President McKinley, promise to be both elaborate and appropriate.

Yesterday disclosed the pleasing assurance that the cessation of business will be even more general than at first expected and hundreds of Wilmingtonians will gather in all reverence to do honor to the deceased Chief Executive upon his funeral day in Canton, Ohio.

As stated yesterday practically all the business houses and offices on the wharf and in the wholesale district of the city will be closed during the entire day and a majority of the retail stores will be closed during the hour of the funeral, beginning at 11 o'clock A. M. The Produce Exchange will also most probably be closed and the shortest hours consistent with the conducting of urgent business will be observed all day at the Postoffice, Custom House, Weather Bureau and other United States institutions.

The ministers of many of the denominations in the city met yesterday morning in the Y. M. C. A. building and formulated all plans for a mass memorial meeting, beginning at 11 o'clock in the First Baptist church. Pastors of all churches in the city were cordially invited to be present and the people of the city were also asked to attend. The service will consist of music by the best of talent, prayer, scripture reading and short addresses by prominent clergymen. All churches are requested to have their bells tolled for thirty minutes, beginning at 10:30 o'clock and the service promises to be most solemn and impressive throughout.

The programme will be as follows: (1) Choir. (2) Invocation. (3) Hymn. (4) Scripture reading by two prominent ministers. (5) Prayer. (6) Addresses of ten minutes each by three well known pastors of the city. (6) Choir. (7) Prayer. (8) Hymn. (9) Benediction.

The committee which has the arrangement of the musical programme consists of Messrs. E. H. Munson, A. S. Holden and Frank L. Huggins. The choir will most probably be composed of Misses Mattie Horne, Carrie White, Mrs. A. S. Holden and Mrs. Preston G. White, sopranos; Mrs. Jas. D. Smith, Mrs. F. A. Muse, Miss Annie Hart and Miss Belle Anderson, altos; Messrs. C. H. Cooper, R. C. Banks, R. F. Fowler and W. L. Willford, tenors; Messrs. E. M. Beery, A. S. Holden, F. L. Huggins and J. S. Williams, basses. It is hoped to have the Second Regiment Band play a funeral dirge in the gallery in front of the church at the opening. Some special features of the programme will be the rendition by a male quartette of "Remember Now Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth," and a solo by Miss Mattie Horne. The male quartette will consist of Messrs. C. H. Cooper and R. F. Fowler, tenors; Messrs. J. S. Williams and A. S. Holden, basses.

Special Services at St. James'.

By direction of Rt. Rev. Bishop A. A. Watson, of the East Carolina Diocese, the congregations of Saint James', Saint Johns', Saint Pauls' and the Chapel of the Good Shepherd are invited to assemble at St. James' church at 11 o'clock A. M. Thursday, for special services to be conducted by the Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., during the funeral of the late President. The service will be appropriate and doubtless attended by a very large concourse of sympathetic people.

Observance at Fort Caswell.

At the army post at Fort Caswell at the mouth of the river the President's funeral in Washington yesterday was fittingly honored. All during the day a single gun was fired each half hour and at 6 P. M. the President's salute of twenty-one guns was given. When retreat was sounded at night the National salute was fired. All regular duties were suspended during the day and the two batteries paraded for a few minutes in the afternoon.

Lumbermen Will Observe the Day.

The following testimonial of the high esteem in which the late President was held by those engaged in the extensive lumber business at Wilmington was handed the STAR last night for publication:

"In order to better commemorate the remembrance of the devoted husband, the upright citizen, the faithful Christian and the beloved President, Wm. McKinley, we, the undersigned, lumber manufacturers of this city, agree to close our mills on Thursday, September 19th, the day in which his mortal remains are finally laid to rest.

"While we mourn his loss as above all others, yet we feel that his life and labors have become one of the richest heritages of the American people, and there is no tribute too great that can be laid on his character."

"Chadbourn Lumber Co., Kidder Lumber Co., Hilton Lumber Co., Cape Fear Lumber Co, S. & W. H. Northrop., Fore & Foster Co., Angola Lumber Co., C. H. Cooper & Co."

— Robinson's and Wallace Bros', shows are both headed this way. The former will be at Goldsboro October 11th.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY MORNING.

Remains of Mr. John Davis Burkheimer Tenderly Laid to Rest in Oakdale

Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the late residence, No. 208 North Fourth street, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., impressively conducted the funeral services over the remains of the late Mr. John Davis Burkheimer, whose sad and untimely death has already been chronicled in these columns. A large concourse of friends were present to pay a last sad mark of respect to the deceased young man and at Oakdale Cemetery where the remains were tenderly laid to rest, hundreds of beautiful floral tributes were laid upon the casket and grave mound.

The following were pall bearers: Honorary, Dr. T. S. Burbank and Mr. L. Bluenthenthal; active, Messrs. L. W. McLaurin, Thos. B. Powers, A. P. Parker, Thos. B Oldham, E. T. Wade and Julius Sternberger.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT,

Or will lease for a term of years the Double Store on Water street, between Chesnut and Mulberry, occupied several years by the Willard Bag Manufactory.

aug 14 tf D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

State and County Taxes.

For the year 1901 are now due and should be paid promptly in order to avoid the costs imposed by the law on delinquents. The sheriff will be at Masonboro Hall, Masonboro township, Thursday, October 3rd; Stanley's Store, Wrightsville, Friday, October 4th; Seven Mile Post, Harnett township, Township House, Saturday, October 5th; Biddle's Store, Federal Point township, Monday, October 7th; Castle Hayne, Bloxom's Store, Tuesday, October 8th.

FRANK H. STEDMAN, Sheriff.

September 17th, 1901. sep 17 12d

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of James S. Daggett, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to the deceased to make immediate payment to me, or my authorized agent, Walter H. Daggett, and all persons to whom he was indebted will present their claims to me, properly proven, before the 10th day of September, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery.

This the 10th day of September, 1901.

MRS. E. R. DAGGETT, Administratrix James S. Daggett. we

sep 11 6t

Seed Rye and Wheat.

40 bushels Seed Rye.
40 bushels Seed Wheat.

Mullets,

150 Bbls. Nice Mullets.

Also Bagging and Ties and car-loads of other stuff.

Get our price.

D. L. GORE CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,
120, 122 and 124 North Water Street,
sep 18 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Home Brewing Company

Richmond, Va.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the late President of the United States this Brewery and its branch offices will be closed from 10 A. M. Thursday, September 19th, to Friday morning, September 20th, 1901.

HOME BREWING CO.

sep 18 1t

BECAUSE!

I am not going to establish a branch store nor am I going to change business.

BECAUSE

The people are satisfied with my Goods and prices and I am satisfied with my sales and profits.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties,

Bell 'Phone 613 111 Market street. sep 17 tf Inter-State 421.

Whale Oil Soap

For Destroying Insects

Infesting Trees, Vines and Plants.

For sale at

HARDIN'S PALACE PHARMACY.

sep 5 tf 126 South Front street.

WILMINGTON SEACOAST R. R.

On and after Monday, September 9th, 1901, the schedule will be as follows until further notice:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6 30 A. M.	7 45 A. M.
10 10 A. M.	11 30 A. M.
2 30 P. M.	5 00 P. M.
6 30 P. M.	9 00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
2 30 P. M.	5 00 P. M.

There will be the usual late train Friday night, September 6th, on account of yacht races and club dance. The Saturday night late train has been annulled.

Freight will be carried on 10.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M. trains.

sep 5 tf R. O. GRANT, Superintendent.

NOTICE.

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Carolina Central Railroad Company.

PORTSMOUTH, Va., Sept. 3rd, 1901.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company will be held in the Front street office of the company in the city of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, on Thursday, the 3rd day of October, A. D., 1901, at 1 o'clock P. M.

JOHN H. SHARP, Secretary.

sep 3 1m

Executor's Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of John Epps, deceased, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the said estate, are required to present them to the undersigned, properly verified, on or before the 10th day of August, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

LOUIS M. BUNTING, an 11 6t su Executor of John Epps.

NO BUSINESS WILL BE TRANSACTED

By the Banks of this City Thursday, September 19th, 1901.

THE ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.
THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK.

sep 18 2t

October First

Is the beginning of a new interest period with us. Money deposited now bears interest from that date at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compounded quarterly, interest being payable in three months from October 1st. Start an account with us now, no matter how large, no matter how small, it will be welcome and will receive careful attention.

The People's Savings Bank,

Opposite the Postoffice.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
sep 11 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

TRY US.

We have Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Cakes, Crackers, Candies,

Soap, Snuff, Soda,

Starch, Lye, Potash, Lard, Meal, Hominy, Molasses, Nails, Tobacco, Smoking and Chewing,

and a full line of Canned Goods. All of which we offer to the trade at living prices.

Williams Bros.

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WHAT IS GHOST FURNITURE? It is furniture that has no body. Looks very fine, but has no strenuth at all—all varnish and glare. Do not buy it, even if the price is away down.

What Is Good Furniture?

A question easily answered. Our Furniture: There is an exposition of Dining Room, Parlor and Bedroom Furniture here that needs few words of praise from us. Quality is stamped all over each article.

And that quality isn't high priced.

MUNROE & KELLY'S,

No. 17 South Front street.
Bell 'Phone 115. sep 17 tf

Bagging and Ties.

Salt on hand and cargo to arrive.

Molasses,

Imported and Domestic.

Cheese, Full Cream.

Sardines, Salmon, Cakes.

Dunlap Meal.

Corn, Oats, Hay.

Lime, Cement.

The Worth Co.

sep 13 tf

JUST OPENED

At No. 108 North Water Street

with a full and complete line of fresh groceries at wholesale. We have

Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meal, Molasses

and a full line of case goods. New catch Mullets just in.

Fresh Cheese and Butter arriving every week. Prices guaranteed. Treatment fair.

PETER McQUEEN, Jr.,

Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,
sep 6 tf No. 108 North Water St.

NOTICE.

Just arrived car load Horses; several will weigh from 1,400 to 1,800 lbs., and lots of all classes of Stock on hand also. We carry the biggest stock of Buggies and Harness in the city, and at the lowest prices. Balance of this month will sell Buggies at cost to make room for car load due September 15th. For bargains call and see.

Wilmington Live Stock Co.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 18.

WHERE THE PEOPLE RULE.

Within thirty-six years three Presidents of the United States have been assassinated and three times the Government by the people demonstrated its strength, for in each case it was shown that the life of the Republic does not depend upon the life of the President. Lincoln was assassinated near the end of the great war between the States, when the North was in arms, and the tramp of the soldier was heard nearly everywhere, but there was no fear for the Republic when Lincoln fell.

Garfield was assassinated sixteen years later, and exclaimed when shot, "The Republic lives." The Republican party was divided into two great factions then, but there was no fear for the Republic. He lingered for eleven weeks, but as far as the running of the government went the world would never have known whether President Garfield was at his post in Washington or on his death bed at Elberon, N. J. The Republican party was divided into two rival factions then, but there was no fear for the Republic.

Nearly twenty years later President McKinley was shot in the presence of thousands of people by a lunatic or a devil, and while the great heart of the American nation was shocked beyond expression at the atrocity of the deed, and melted in sympathy and sorrow for him and his, there was no fear for the Republic, the government of the people, for the people knew it would live whether in the inscrutable dispensations of Providence President McKinley lived or died.

There isn't another government on earth that could bear the assassination of a ruler with less disastrous results, or with as much immunity from danger. In other countries the assassination of rulers is either preceded by revolutionary uprisings or is followed by them, unless prevented, and therefore the military arm is called into action to suppress any revolutionary demonstrations and guard against any revolutionary uprisings. On such occasions there are always summoning of troops to be prepared for emergencies and detectives by the hundred go among the people to hear what they are talking about and catch as far as possible the sentiment of approval or disapproval of the assassination, and thus learn what the danger might be. Our Presidents may be shot down, and aside from the national horror and indignation and the excitement natural at such a shocking event, there is no hurrying to and fro, no rattle of musketry, no tramping of armed men, no clang of swords, no rattling of hurrying horses' hoofs, no detectives sent among the people save on the tail of suspects, for the people here are sovereign and it is their representative that is smitten. This is the difference between a government by the people, where the people are sovereign and all power comes from them, and a government not of the people, whether it is called a Republic, as some governments are incorrectly called, a limited or unlimited monarchy, or an absolute despotism. None of these are as safe from turmoil or overturning when the assassin blow comes, as this Republic is, with its seventy-six millions of people exercising sovereign power.

Men may be snatched suddenly from the earth, administrations may change, new counsellors may be called in and new policies adopted, but the Republic lives and will live. It will live for several reasons; one because it is a government of the people, in which every individual has a direct interest, be it much or little, and every one feels that the preservation of the government is necessary to him; and because the machinery which provides for the succession to the Presidency is as perfect as human foresight could devise. There is no possible emergency that might arise that would leave the country without some one eligible to the Presidency, to fill the vacancy in the event of the death of the President even it were followed by the death of the Vice President. Such a government is stronger than the monarchy supported by bayonets, no matter how numerous or formidable those bayonets may be, for those bayonets themselves may be turned against the monarch and the government in whose service they are are employed. It is supported by millions of freemen who would stake their lives in defence of it if assailed, and there are no internal foes to conspire against or scheme for its overthrow. These millions of men may differ as to policies which should be pursued, they may become excited in their political contests and upbraid each other, but when danger of any kind comes, when the representatives of their sovereignty are struck down, they come together as a band of brothers and resent the blow as if aimed at them and the country that is their common heritage. There are then no political parties, no factions, no creeds, but the great American people moulded into one grand, majestic patriot, in whose heart, thoughts and eyes the Republic stands first and before all things.

We have had five Vice Presidents to succeed deceased Presidents, three of them the successors of Presidents who had fallen at the hands of assassins, and in each case these Vice Presidents entered upon the higher office with as little commotion, or parade, or excitement as if they were taking the oath of a justice of the peace, and were as loyally recognized as Presidents as if they had been chosen directly by the votes of their countrymen. President Roosevelt was hunted for and found gunning to be summoned to take the dead President McKinley's place. He came, took the oath of office with entire absence of parade and entered upon the office with as little ceremony and pomp as he might go to church. He is today President Roosevelt, as fully recognized as was his lamented and honored predecessor, and not a ripple in the body politic. Men may die but the Republic still lives.

LESS HANDSHAKING.

Several days ago we wrote an editorial deprecating the custom, which has become so general and so much abused, of inviting our Presidents to attend various kinds of public gatherings, whether they be of much or little importance, of national or merely State or local interest. These invitations are presumably inspired by respect for the office of President or regard for the man who fills it, but in eight cases out of ten there is a selfish motive at the bottom of it, and the President is simply utilized to draw a crowd for the occasion. It is often a source of embarrassment to the President who feels disposed to be accommodating and to reciprocate the kindly feeling implied by such invitations, for having accepted one he feels constrained, if his public duties permit, to accept others, and sometimes when forced to decline he unintentionally gives offence because his motives are not understood or are misconstrued. And for this reason, doubtless, many invitations are accepted which would otherwise be declined.

With these frequent draws upon him a President, however good natured he may be, cannot feel otherwise than bored and wearied at the ordeal through which he has to go, a much abused and hard worked man for a mere unnecessary parade, that adds nothing to but rather diminishes the dignity of the office he holds. The country has become too big for that now, there is too much of it, and it imposes too much labor on the man, who has more than enough to do without it.

In this connection we also suggested the discontinuance of the public receptions held by the President for the same reason, because they have become simply unmeaning formalities, and are an imposition on the man who is required to stand for hours and shake or rather touch, for there is little time to shake, the hand of every man or woman who hankers to touch a Presidential hand. It is unnecessary labor imposed on him for which there is no compensating offset.

When we wrote that article we were not thinking of it as a means to protect the President from the assault of assassins or cranks, but simply as a relief from an entirely unnecessary ordeal that our Presidents should not be subjected to.

Since expressing the views contained in that editorial, we find similar views entertained by leading papers of the country and by men of national prominence, among them Hon. Thos. B. Reed, who declares that the senseless and useless custom of public receptions should be abolished, a custom which has outlived its usefulness, if it ever had any.

PLAYING CRAZY.

As anticipated the assassin of President McKinley is playing the roll of the crazy man when called to answer for the life he took. He is crazy in the sense that a man who pursues a forbidden passion is, that the man who nurses malice in his heart and lays in wait for and slays the object of his hate is, or that the man who deliberately takes his own life is. He was crazy for notoriety, that was the consuming passion that lured him and led him on to take the part he did in that horrid tragedy.

But he was sane enough to fully comprehend what he contemplated, to travel from another city to do it, to plan with cunning and deliberation and to follow his intended victim day after day until he could get close enough to shoot with fatal precision. There was no insanity in all that.

When arrested and locked up he put a padlock on his mouth, until finally forced to speak, he threw the responsibility on Emma Goldman, whose writings he said fired his blood and hardened his heart to this horrid deed. There was no insanity in that. It is simply the plea of the cowardly cur, who realizing that his own life has been forfeited, abandons the role of hero, and cringingly takes refuge under the the plea of insanity to prolong a life that ought to be a torture to him if he be not entirely devoid of human feeling.

Of course his plea of insanity will avail him nothing, for he will as surely die in the electrocution chair as he killed William McKinley, unless he dies before the day set for his execution comes.

But for all that he will be tried in conformity with law, will be given able counsel to defend him, and will have all the protection and fairness in his trial that the law which he would destroy throws around any other man charged with crime.

This is an object lesson that ought to impress even anarchists, if anything could impress them, when a viper like this is taken under the wings of the law, after killing the President of the earth's greatest Republic, whose death is sincerely mourned not only by seventy-six millions of his countrymen, but throughout the civilized world.

An Ohio preacher who has been working to locate the garden of Eden thinks he has conclusive evidence that it was in Ohio. When Adam and Eve were evicted they probably camped in Indiana. The fact is they are locating the garden in about as many places as Sam Jones has located hell. One has pitched on the Philippines, another on South Carolina, near Charleston, and now this investigator puts in his claim for Ohio. There are a good many parts of the United States to be heard from yet.

Hiram Baxter, of Kansas, who expected to be married by this time, is still single, just because when he was courting his girl he rode a $125 horse. When she consented to be "his'n," he sold that $125 horse, bought a $25 plug and rode that plug when he next visited her. She didn't object to thrift, but concluded that this was too sudden and violent an exhibition of it, and cancelled the agreement. Therefore Mr. Baxter is still a bachelor with a plug.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Admiral Dewey said: "Admiral Howison is excused from service, for which I know he is very glad." If Admiral Howison had excused himself several weeks ago, he would have occupied a more enviable position.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

—— When Lord Kitchener speaks of a "bag" he means the dead and wounded of the enemy. English soldiers are taught to look upon their adversaries in war as beasts or birds, and the corpses and captives they can show or swear to represent the "bag."—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— An inquiry into the pursuits of college-bred negroes received 1,312 replies. Of this number one-half are teachers, one-sixth preachers, one-sixth students and professional men, 6 per cent. farmers, artisans and merchants, and 4 per cent in the government service. The teachers, if competent, are all needed, but the number of mechanics, farmers and tradesmen is significantly small. The failure to engage in trade may not be altogether voluntary, but the disposition to crowd the professions is as evident as among whites, and with less chance of success.—*Louisville Courier-Journal, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— The Patron—Isn't there some mistake about this bill? Proprietor—Two weeks' board and extras; $230; that's right. The addition's right but I've more money than that.—*Life.*

— Lady—I always come out so *plain* in my photographs. Plainer even than I am. Photographer (gallantly)—Oh, madam *that* is impossible.—*Life.*

— With Germany trying to crawl under the Monroe doctrine and France over it, Uncle Sam will also have to arrange his interference to stop runs around the ends.—*Detroit Tribune.*

— Not a Flattering Attention: "Who is that strange looking man who stares at me so much?" "Why, that's Von Humperdinck, the eminent insanity expert."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— That Yale professor who claims to have successfully grafted the tail of an adder on the front end of a rattlesnake ought to try his luck at forming a new political party.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Unable to State—What is the name of the President of your country? said the visitor. I don't know, answered the citizen of the South American republic. We haven't yet had a full report from the latest battle."

— Little Ethel—Mamma, I know why it isn't safe to count your chickens before they're hatched. Mother—Why, dear? Little Ethel—Cos sum of 'em might be ducks.—*Ohio State Journal.*

— "There is one thing about modern society that puzzles me," said the philosopher. "What's that?" "The older women are all the time anxious to get in; the young and pretty ones want to come out."—*Smart Set.*

— "Waiter, bring me a couple of soft-boiled eggs." Voice (at the next table)—"The same for me. But, waiter, be sure they are fresh." Waiter's Voice (in the distance)—"Four soft-boiled eggs; two must be fresh."—*What to Eat.*

— Briggs—"Woman's love of dress has been the ruin of many a household." Griggs—"Perhaps that is why Baldwin fell in love with that chorus girl. Surely she cannot think much of dress, or she'd wear more of it."—*Boston Transcript.*

— "I saw Binks to-day and he was in terrible shape—both eyes closed and bruises all over. He isn't a quarrelsome man is he?" "Oh, no; quite the reverse. He never sees a quarrel that he doesn't want to act as peacemaker." "Ah, that explains it, then."—*Chicago Post.*

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Reidsville *Weekly*: A petition is being circulated asking the Governor to offer a reward for the capture of John Ware, who shot his father, and a negro August 27th and has eluded the officers so far. No reasonable effort should be spared to bring him to justice, for the crime which he and John Stephens committed was one of the most dastardly that has ever taken place in this section.

— Charlotte *News*: Mr. James Adams, of the Newells section, died suddenly last night. He, with several others, were on their way to Newells to attend the evening service at the Presbyterian church. When within a mile of the church Mr. Adams was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in the region of his heart. He fell by the roadside in great agony. Those with him did all they could for him, but death came in a short while.

— Newton *Enterprise*: It is now a settled fact that Newton is to have two National Banks. Application has been made for the charters of both of them. —Another gang of thieves are operating in Newton on the same plan as that of the gang sent to the penitentiary last spring. They break into the dining room or kitchen of of several houses every night and carry out whatever they find that suits their appetites. One of their dens was found in a dense thicket near the old fish pond above the depot Monday. It was brush arbor in which there were numerous tin cans, fire-brands and other evidences of a regular camp.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: Sunday afternoon about two o'clock as Hepsy, Hattie and James, Robert and Lizzie Harriss (all colored) were returning from a trip after grapes in a batteau on the Cape Fear river in charge of a boy nearly grown, in trying to land between the steamer Hurt and a flat lying beside the wharf, one of the children in jumping from the boat fell into the water, causing the boat to careen and throw out another. The boy in his endeavor to save the two which he succeeded in doing, found it necessary to leave the boat in which were Hepsy Roberts, aged about 14 and Lizzie Harris, aged about 13, who, it is supposed fell out and were at once drawn by the strong current under the flat. In a short time the body of the Harris girl was recovered, but at last accounts the body of the Roberts girl had not been found. Hepsy Roberts is the daughter of Zack Roberts, the well known pilot of the steamer Driver, while Lizzie Harris is the daughter of Willie Harris, employed on the same boat, both of whom were in Wilmington at the time of the accident. The name of the boy who was paddling the boat was Ed. Jessup, aged 17 years.

—— There is probably no more prosperous industry in the United States at this time than the shipbuilding industry. It has, indeed, no drawback except in present factitious prices for iron and steel, and is kept in control of the home trade by an absolute prohibition of outside competition. Yet it is proposed to further encourage shipbuilding by the payment of Government subsidies, so that the owners of dear ships may engage in competition with the owners of cheaper ships for the ocean carrying trade!—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes; smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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MASSA HARRY'S BODY SERVANT.

By Elizabeth Guerard.

"Good mornin, massa."

Judge Marsden saw beside him a tiny specimen of a negro boy looking up into his face with expressive eyes.

"Well, boy, what do you wish?" he asked kindly.

"W'y, massa, I jes' wan' to ax you to tek me in de big house to wuk."

"You?" said the judge. "Why, you are too small. What could you do?"

"I knowed I ain't ben growed much, massa, but I sartin I gwine grow some mo' one ob dese days, an I kin larn to do anything. Why, massa, I could be li'l Massa Harry's body servant, jes' like William is yours, sah."

Judge Marsden smiled at the idea of Harry, a baby of 2 years, having a body servant in this child, who did not look very much older.

"How old are you, boy?"

"I is gwine on fo'teen, sah," came the surprising answer. "De reason I ain't neber growed no mo'," he explained as the judge made a gesture of dissent, "is cos Big Jim let me fall down de bluff when I ben 6 years old, an all de growin I would ha' done is gone into dis here lump on my back, but dat don' hinder me."

"Surely you are not that child!" interrupted the judge. "Why, I was told at the time that you were dying!"

"Well, mammy done shame ob me, an she neber let me come to see you nor nobody else ef she kin hep it, cos she say I too ugly an li'l an might scair dem."

"Poor little fellow!" thought the judge compassionately.

"One day, massa," continued the boy, "Nancy brung li'l massa down to de cabin, an while she an mammy ben a-talkin I slipped up to de kerridge, an he ain't neber ben scairt in de leas', but jes' hel' out his li'l hands to me an say, 'I lub you, boy.' I gib him some flowers, an he jes' laff so sof' an sweet. Oh, sah, I know I could tek sech good care ob him!"

"He has a nurse already," said the judge. Then, seeing the disappointment in the child's eyes, he added good naturedly, "But come up to the big house tomorrow, and I will see if I can find something for you to do there."

"Tankie, massa." And with hope in his heart the little unfortunate went back to his mother's cabin, careful not to excite her by any allusion to an interview with the master.

Bright visions haunted the little boy that night as he lay on his humble pallet. The height of his ambition was about to be realized. The "big house," as he termed it, which was a large colonial structure, seemed to him a beautiful palace and its inhabitants such superior beings that he was not worthy to touch the hem of their garments.

So occupied was the judge with his business that the incident with the little boy passed out of his mind, and he was surprised the next day when Andrew, the butler, told him that Napoleon Bonaparte wished to see him.

"Who on earth is Napoleon Bonaparte? I was not aware that I had made an appointment to meet the ghost of that illustrious man. Did you know it, my dear?" turning to his wife.

"No, indeed, I did not. Who is this person, Andrew?"

"Well, mam, he's Liza's chile, de one w'at Big Jim let fall down de bluff. You ain't 'member dat, mam, cos it happened afore you wuz married."

"I remember now, Andrew. Show him in," said the judge, and seating himself by his wife he said:

"My dear Lucy, he is the most pitiful specimen of humanity I ever saw, but he has fallen a victim to Harry's charms and wants to be his body servant."

With mingled feelings of awe and delight the little cripple walked into the presence of the judge and his wife, saluting them with a low bow, cap in hand.

"Heah I is, massa. Andrew ain' wan' let me in, but I tell him I reckin you knowed your own business. How li'l Mass Harry today?"

"He is well, Napoleon," replied Mrs. Marsden. "Would you like to see him?"

"'Deed I would, missis! See, I brung him some shells wat I got on de beach!" And he drew forth some lovely pink and white shells from the depths of a ragged pocket.

Noticing his tattered garments, Mrs. Marsden said:

"Why doesn't your mother provide you with better clothes?"

"She gib all de good clos to La Fayette and Esmeralda an mek me wey all de ole ones cos she say it don' matter 'bout me; nobody gwine notice me nohow."

Meanwhile Nancy brought little Harry in, and as soon as he laid eyes on Napoleon he toddled straight for him.

"See, massa!" exclaimed the delighted boy. "He ain' scairt ob me one bit. Here, li'l massa, here some shells I brung you." And he put the pretty things in the baby's hands.

It was truly a charming sight, the handsome, laughing boy scattering the shells on the floor and the eager faced hunchback gathering them again and again, only to have the baby cast them down immediately with roguish delight.

"He's too small to have charge of Harry," whispered Mrs. Marsden to her husband, "but he could help in the kitchen and be allowed to amuse him sometimes."

She then said to the child: "Your master and I think you too small to have charge of Master Harry, but you may go into the kitchen and help the cook, and sometimes you may play with him."

"Tankie, mam." But he added as he backed out of the door, "I gwine do sometin to show you dat ef I is li'l I kan tek charge ob de baby."

"Very well, we'll see," said Mrs. Marsden.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Bishop's Umbrella.

Once when the late Bishop Creighton was at Tottenham laying the foundation stone of St. Peter's church there he was asked by a leading local resident how he liked the place. "I should like it better," said his lordship, "if some Tottenhamite had not annexed my umbrella this morning. I don't know whether the experiences of other prelates are similar to my own, but it seems to me that a bishop's umbrella has a special individuality and is peculiarly marked down for spoil."

This remark reminds one of his friends of the impromptu skit the bishop jotted down on a pad at the church congress in London in 1899:

The rain it raineth every day
Upon the just and unjust feller,
But chiefly on the just, because
The unjust takes the just's umbrella.

An Easy Going Artist.

Recently published lists of prices charged by prominent portrait painters remind us that if modern artists take the cash eighteenth century painters often took their time. Augustus Hare says that Lord Mexborough asked Sir Thomas Lawrence again and again to send home the portrait he was doing of Lady Mexborough and her child. "I allow I have been a long time," replied the artist at last, "but if Lady Mexborough will kindly bring the baby and give me another sitting I really will finish."

"Well, Sir Thomas," was the answer, "my wife will be happy to give you another sitting whenever you like, but the baby is in the guards!"—Youth's Companion.

Skeptical.

Backbite—Digby is a fool.
Bilkins—He said the same of you.
Backbite—What? He's a liar!
Bilkins—Exactly what he called you when I told him you said he was a fool. Dear me, but you fellows are skeptical!—Ohio State Journal.

The Right of Way

In a crowded street keep to the right. Should you wish to break this rule remember that you should turn aside to the right when others wish to pass you. It is courteous, whether you or the stranger has the right of way, to turn aside for your elders or for those who have a burden.

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TAR—Market firm at $1.35 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market quiet and steady at $1.00 per barrel for hard, $1.90 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 33½@35c; rosin dull at $1.15@1.90; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine steady at $1.10@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	42
Rosin	163
Tar	301
Crude turpentine	74

Receipts same day last year—82 casks spirits turpentine, 409 bbls rosin, 303 bbls tar, 49 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 7-16	cts	₱ lb
Good ordinary	6 15-16	"	"
Low middling	7 7-16	"	"
Middling	8	"	"
Good middling	8 5-16	"	"

Same day last year, market firm at 10¼c for middling.

Receipts—1,150 bales; same day last year, 4,864.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 70@75c. Virginia—Prime 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75c.

CORN—Firm, 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13 to 14c per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12c; sides, 11 to 12c.

EGGS—Firm at 16@16½c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 22 to 25c; springs, 10@20c.

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Nothing doing.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept 17.—Money on call was steady at 2½@3 per cent.; the last loan 2½ per cent., and the ruling rate 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady at the decline in prices, with actual business in bankers' bills at 484¼@484½ for demand and 482¾@482¾ for sixty days. Posted rates were 483¼ and 486. Commercial bills 481¾@482¼. Bar silver 58¼. Mexican dollars 45¾. Government bonds steady. State bonds firm. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 108; U. S. refu'g 2's, coupon, 108¼; U. S. 3's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon, 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 113; do. coupon, 113; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 108; coupon, 108; Southern Railway 5's 116¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 102¾. Chesapeake & Ohio 45¾; Manhattan L 119¼; N. Y. Central 153¾; Reading 41¾; do. 1st pref'd 75¾; do. 2nd pref'd 52; St. Paul 161¼; do. pref'd, 187; Southern R'way 32¾; do. pref'd 87¾; Amalgamated Copper 106¾; American Tobacco —; People's Gas 108¾; Sugar 131¾; T. C. & Iron 63¾; U. S. Leather 12¾; do. pref'd, 80¾; Western Union 92¾; U. S. Steel 43¾; do. preferred 93¾; Mexican National 14¾. Standard Oil 755@760; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., 60; do preferred 123.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 17.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 27¾@27¾; do. preferred, 50¾@50¾. Bonds—4's 88¾@88¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 17.—Spirits turpentine firm at 33c. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Sept 17. Spirits turpentine firm at 33¼c; receipts 1,537 casks; sales 1,546 casks; exports 511 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,805 barrels; sales 1,558 barrels; exports 2,481 barrels. A, B, C, 95c; D, $1 00; E, $1 07½; F, $1 13¾; G, $1 20; H, $1 25; I, $1 40; K, $1 85; M, $2 25; N, $2 60; W G, $3 00; W W, $3 50.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The market for cotton futures opened firm and three to five points higher on active room covering and some support from the bull faction, despite the fact that cables from Liverpool were very disappointing and the demand for public account very light. Following the call the market exhibited pronounced strength and rapidly stiffened on increasing nervousness among local shorts and growing confidence on the part of the bull shorts. The English market quickly responded to the firmness here and also sent liberal buying orders. Before the close of the first hour the South, Wall street, the West and commission houses were brisk buyers of the later options. There was very little cotton for sale other than that offered for the purpose of securing profits. By midday a net rise of eleven to twelve points was in vogue, with the demand even at those figures somewhat in excess of offers. Rumors that the tropical storm was rapidly approaching the northern Gulf coast and was increasing in intensity, and that continued heavy rains over the central and eastern belt were doing great damage to cotton now quite generally open did much to strengthen the market. Receipts fell short of predictions and crop reports were unfavorable on the average. The weekly government report proved to be one of the worst, if not the worst, received this season, and gave shorts fresh cause for uneasiness, and in covering January was quickly bid up to 7.77, or thirty-six points above the lowest figure of last Friday. The South and West continued to buy for a further advance, while pit bulls supported the market with more confidence than manifested in a long time. Speculation was quite active and reactions were exceptionally small and few and far between. In the last hour the market was strong at the top notch of the day on expected covering and more frost talk. The close was firm, with prices net eighteen to nineteen points higher.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Cotton steady; middling uplands 8¾c.

Cotton futures market closed firm, as follows: September 7.75, October 7.74, November 7.76, December 7.78, January 7.79, February 7.80, March 7.82, April 7.82, May 7.84.

Spot cotton closed steady and ¼c higher; middling uplands 8¾; middling gulf 8¼c; sales 2,412 bales.

Net receipts 323 bales; gross receipts 2,905 bales; stock 91,055 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 19,137 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,738 bales; exports to the Continent 13,605 bales; stock 237,349 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 50,848 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,031 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 32,471 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 189,516 bales; exports to Great Britain 72,518 bales; exports to France 11,243 bales; exports to the Continent 56,042 bales.

Sept. 17.—Galveston, steady at 8 1-16, net receipts 8,213 bales; Norfolk, steady at 8 1-16c, net receipts 208 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 16 bales; Wilmington, firm at 8c, net receipts 1150 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 50 bales; Savannah, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 4,408 bales; New Orleans, firm at 8 1-16c, net receipts 4,011 bales; Mobile, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 598 bales; Memphis, steady at 8, net receipts 318 bales; Augusta, steady at 7 15-16c, net receipts 1,936 bales; Charleston, steady at 7 11-16, net receipts 158 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Flour—market was more active and stronger. Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red 77¾c. Options closed strong at ⅝@1c net advance. No. 2 red May closed 80¾c; September closed 75¾c; October closed 75c; December closed 78¾. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 66¼c. Options closed strong at 2¼@2¾c net higher: May closed 66¾; September closed 65¾c; October closed 65; December closed 65¼c. Oats—Spot firmer; No. 2 38¼c. Options were higher with corn. Tallow quoted firm. Butter firm; creamery 15¼@20¾c; State dairy 14@18¾. Cheese quiet and steady; fancy large white 8¾c; fancy small white 9¼c. Pork—strong; family $17 00; short clear $15 70@19 00. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5½c; mild quiet; Cordova 8@11¾c. Cabbage—Market was steady; Long Island flat Dutch, per 100 $4 00@5 00. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 18@19c. Peanuts quiet; fancy handpicked 4¼c; other domestic 2¼c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3 5-16c; refined steady. Lard strong; Western steam $10 05; refined strong; compound 7¼@7¾c. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys $1 75@2 50; Long Island $2 50@2 75; Jersey sweets, yellow, $2 00@2 75. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Cotton seed oil very quiet. The closing quotations were: Prime crude, in barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 40@41c; off summer yellow 37½@38c; prime white 44; prime winter yellow 44c; prime meal $25 00.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—All grains were active to-day on the Board of Trade in response to reports of frost last night. Wheat closed 1½c higher than yesterday. December corn made a gain of 2½@2¾c and December oats closed 1¼c up. Provisions were active and closed with gains of from 17½@22½c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Cash quotations: Flour was steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 68@68¾c; No. 2 red 71@71¾. Corn—No. 2 —c; yellow 58@58¾c. Oats—No. 2 —c. No. 2 white 38@38½c; No. 3 white 37½@38¼c. Rye—No. 2 56@57c. Mess pork, per barrel, $14 90@14 95. Lard, per 100 lbs, $9 66½@9 70. Short rib sides, loose, $8 55@8 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 75. Short clear sides, boxed, $9 25@9 35. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September 68¾, 69⅞, 68¾, 69¾c; December 70¾@7071, 72, 70¾, 71¾@73c; May 74¼@74¾, 75¼, 74¼, 75¼@75½c. Corn—No. 2 September 56¾@56½, 58¾, 56¾, 58½c; December 58@58¾, 60¾, 58, 60½c; May 60¼@60¾, 62¾, 59¾@60, 62½c. Oats—No. 2 September 35¼, 35¾, 34⅞, 35¾c; December 36¼@36¾, 37½, 36½, 37¾c; May 38¾@38¾, 39¾, 38¼@39¼, 39¼@39¾c. Pork, per bbl—September —; October $14 77½, 14 95, 14 77½, 14 90; January $15 85, 16 10, 15 85½, 16 02½. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $9 62½, 9 67½, 9 63¼, 9 67½; October $9 60, 9 67½, 9 57½, 9 65; January $9 20, 9 35, 9 20, 9 32½. Short ribs per 100 lbs—September $8 65, 8 70, 8 65, 8 70; October $8 65, 8 70, 8 66, 8 70; January $8 17½, 8 37½, 8 15, 8 30.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 17, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; prices 1-32d higher; American middling fair 5 3-16d; good middling 4 15-16d; middling 4¾d; low middling 4 13-32d; good ordinary 4 3-32d; ordinary 3 29-32d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 8,000 bales American. Receipts 6,000 bales, including 5,800 bales American.

Futures opened and closed steady; American middling (l. m. c.) September, 4 33-64@4 34-64d seller; October (g. o. c.) 4 23-64d seller; October and November 4 19-64@4 20-64d buyer; November and December 4 17-64d seller; December and January 4 17-64d seller; January and February 4 16-64@4 17-64d buyer; February and March 4 17-64d seller; March and April 4 17-64d seller; April and May 4 17-64d buyer.

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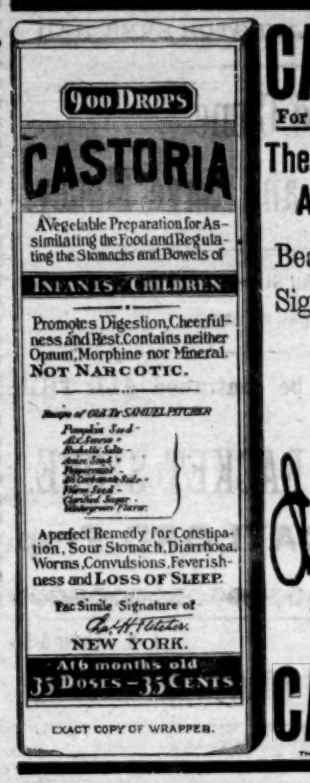
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The Stain On the Door

In a picturesque corner among the Carolina hills there is an old mill concerning which strange traditions are told. The lower story is built of unhewn rock, while the upper story consists of two substantial rooms. One of the rooms is much larger than the other, the smaller one being a mere closet in comparison with the front apartment. The mill looks as though it had been built to resist a siege, and it surely has witnessed many strange and horrible scenes, even if but the half that is told is true.

The mill was built just before the war of the Revolution. It is appropriately situated at the foot of a red hill. The trees that stand around are massive, but few. A gray and solitary sycamore grows near the little bridge and stands like a shrouded form. The rest of the trees are oak. The trumpet vine is now rank near the entrance to the building, and its blooms are to the fanciful mind the gory fingers of a murderer, reeking with the fresh blood of his victim. The pokeweed is there, too, with its red stalk, red berries and reddish leaves.

About the beginning of the Revolution several Tory families inhabited the country. A young man of one of these families loved the daughter of a zealous Whig, and the day had been appointed for the marriage. When it was first whispered among the neighbors that the youth had sided with the Tories, the girl was almost broken hearted, but declared that she would not believe the fact till she had heard it from his own lips.

Sooner than she expected she had the chance. One evening as she was milking the cows her lover jumped over the fence and stood before her. She told him instantly what she had heard, expecting a vehement denial.

"Yes," he said. "It is all true, and before another year your father will wish he was as I am."

"He would see his grave first!" the girl indignantly replied.

"He may not have far to go to find it," the young man avowed, with a peculiar intonation in his voice.

He persisted in following the girl, against her will, to the house. The girl's father was there, and he forbade his neighbor entrance, saying an enemy to his country was not welcomed in his house. The girl ardently sanctioned by word and manner the action of her father. Tradition does not tell all that followed. However, the young man, whose name was Jack Colton, left in a towering rage, swearing that when next he returned he would enter if he pleased. He went away and was seen no more until a year afterward. Pretty Nancy Langdon continued to milk her cows.

There were so much tumult and confusion in the country that people became inured to danger and were not afraid. And Nancy, a large, buxom maiden of 18, was proud of her own courage. Her mother was an invalid and timid, and she closed the shutters if the wind was heard among the pines.

"It all sounded like the groans of dying men," she would say. Her husband and four sons were with General Greene, and even the slightest suggestion of their death was terrible to her. Her younger daughter, Eva, was of her temperament. She shivered, too, when the wind blew too hard or when a neighboring woman brought in the tidings of the disastrous result of some faroff battle. Little Eva would crouch closer to her mother, and they two, with hands clasped, would pray for their faroff loved ones and that the merciful Father would not forget them in their helpless condition.

But on such occasions Nancy would throw open the windows and wish that she were a man that she might be with her father and brothers to fight for the country she loved so well.

One day their father returned quite unexpectedly. The news had just preceded his arrival that Jack Colton and a dozen other Tories were in the neighborhood. The women were torn by conflicting emotions—joy upon the return of the father and husband, mingled with fear for his safety.

There was a neighbor's daughter spending the night with Nancy and Eva, and early the next morning the two girls started to accompany their friend part of the way home, which was not far distant. The direction lay toward the old mill. Under the shadow of the building lay the bridge, and as the two girls stood bidding their friend goodby Jack Colton with a half dozen comrades ran down the stone steps and seized them.

The three girls were borne, screaming, to the rooms above.

Their little brother, a lad of 9 or 10, who had trailed after his sisters, but had lingered behind throwing stones and eating the wayside berries, saw the terrible scene.

He was at the top of the hill and was not seen or could not be caught, or perhaps Jack and his followers did not care.

The child ran back and told the terrible tale. The old father started after his daughters. From the window of the mill he was seen, but not until he had taken his stand under a straight tree, whose branches were all far above his head.

He was now plainly visible and was a clear target. He appeared unarmed. But he might have stood there. He was safe. It was not his blood the neighbor wanted, knowing as he did that life and consciousness were such agony to the stricken father as a thousand bullets could never produce.

He heard his daughters' screams. One was allowed to appear for a moment at the window that he might see her, and still he stood, appearing not to have the power to move.

Jeering faces appeared at the window, and taunts were hurled at him. Then suddenly Jack Colton flung wide open the door and appeared standing on the threshold. With a laugh and a curse he cried out to the old man to come and join them.

Quick as a flash the old flint and steel was caught up from against the dark trunk of the tree, where it had, unperceived, been placed. In an instant there was a flash, followed by a report, and Jack Colton's brains and blood stained the door against which he was leaning. The stain is pointed out to this day.—Exchange.

In Retreat.

Down from the upper air floated the strains of music, yet Neptune was visibly annoyed.

"What's gnawing at thy vitals, sire?" asked a mermaid.

"I wish in the name of Orpheus," said the sea king, "that boating parties could sing something else besides 'A Life on the Ocean Wave.'"

And forthwith he crawled into a cave and pulled the cave in after him.—New York Marine Journal.

Curing a Mule.

A mule in a pack train which was usually loaded with salt discovered that by lying down when fording a certain stream and allowing the salt to dissolve he could lighten his burden. The muleteer once loaded him with sponges instead, which absorbed water when he lay down in the stream and made his burden fourfold heavier. The mule was cured of his smartness.

Confirmed Liars.

"I don't know who first said figures couldn't lie," said the young woman, "but I would bet any old sum that the person was a man."

Then for the fourth time she tried to make her personal account book balance.—Indianapolis Press.

The Scriptures make frequent mention of the practice of irrigation in the arid Holy Lands, and from Persian, Greek and Roman writers we learn that in all the Mediterranean countries of old the people were more or less familiar with the art.

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A MAYOR'S MIRACLE.

He Made the Blind See, the Deaf Hear and the Lame Walk.

From the many anecdotes of Bampfylde Moore Carew's rogueries in Arthur Montefiore Brice's essay on that "Amazing Vagabond" we quote one in which Carew and his gypsy crew who had rigged themselves up as cripples and gathered at Bridgewater fair to plunder the junketers came off second best.

When the mayor of Bridgewater heard that this motley group of cripples had arrived, he announced to some of his friends that he was possessed of a power they perhaps little suspected—that, in fact, he could make the blind see, the deaf hear and the lame walk. Bets were freely made that he could do nothing of the kind, and thereupon the mayor had the gypsies arrested and immediately brought before him and, after hearing their harrowing tales, ordered them to be confined for the night in the lockup.

About 10 o'clock at night, however, the municipal surgeon entered with a lantern and announced that he would examine them all in the morning in order to report to the mayor whether or not they really suffered from deformity of one kind or another, and he went on to say that those who were found to be impostors would be treated by the mayor with severity so extreme that, moved to pity, he would allow any such misguided wretch to escape there and then from the lockup on condition that he immediately left the town.

At this intelligence a great commotion arose, and in less time than it takes to write it the whole crowd surged out of the lockup, flinging away their crutches and wooden legs, patches and bandages, and made off down the town at topmost speed, the blind leading the way with unerring steps, the dumb crying aloud their fears, the deaf replying to them, and the lame sprinting along at a rattling pace. Now, just opposite the lockup, on the farther side of the street, stood the witty mayor and his friends, convulsed with laughter at the success of his scheme.—Argonaut.

Trafalgar Hats.

The year 1805 was a memorable one, as on Oct. 21 was fought and gained the battle of Trafalgar, and then, as now, fashion complimented heroes by devising toilets named in their honor. So Nelson was commemorated by a hat—the "Trafalgar"—and every woman and child adopted the wondrous structure, which would outdo even the headgear of the present day, for these hats were of enormous width and breadth, something of the size of a round table, and so loaded with plumes that the wearers must have looked all hat.—Gentleman's Magazine.

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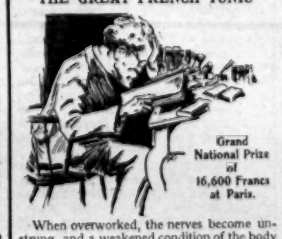

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TRAIN 28 Leaves Charlotte 8:30 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:36 A. M., Lumberton 9:44 A. M., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

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Ar Jacksonville	8.10 a m	6.10 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.15 a m

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Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.04 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norfina	3.15 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Portsmouth	.....	.....
Ar Norfolk	7.00 a m	5.50 p m
Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.04 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norfina	3.15 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.48 a m	2.45 p m
Ar Richmond	6.30 a m	3.31 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	7.05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.25 p m	5.30 a m

Train 38 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.55 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 6.53 p. m.; Richmond 10.40 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.30 p. m.; Norfolk 9.00 p. m.; Raleigh 4.10 a. m.; arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 36 leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.04 a. m.; Charlotte 5.30 a. m.; Monroe 6.05 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.40 a. m.

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GOING EAST.			STATIONS.	GOING WEST.	
No. 3 Pass'g'r Trains				No. 3 Pass'g'r Trains	
Arrive	Leave			Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.			A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40		Goldsboro	11 05	.....
5 40	4 20		Kinston	10 12	.....
7 40	6 20		Newbern	8 27	9 00
7 00	7 07		Morehead City	7 55	7 27
P. M.	P. M.			A. M.	A. M.

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DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.32 A. M., Goldsboro 12.20 P. M., Wilson 1.15 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.45 P. M. Tarboro 2.21 P. M., Weldon 4.20 P. M., Petersburg 6.30 P. M., Richmond 7.02 P. M., Norfolk 5.10 P. M., Washington 12.00 P. M., Baltimore 1.04 A. M., Philadelphia 3.25 A. M., New York 6.50 A. M., *Boston 2.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 5.30 P. M., Warsaw 6.45 P. M., Goldsboro 7.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 8.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.22 P. M., Weldon 1.30 A. M., *Norfolk 1.10 P. M., Petersburg 2.47 A. M., Richmond 3.30 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 5.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.37 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M. Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. No. 47—Passenger—Due Lake 8.10 P. M., Chadbourn 5.50 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.35 P. M., Sumter 9.12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.30 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 9.40 A. M., Jacksonville 3.30 A. M., St. Augustine 12.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 33—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.35 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.15 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.30 P. M., New York *3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.00 A. M., Baltimore 2.58 A. M., Washington 4.32 A. M., Richmond 7.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.46 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.47 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.53 P. M., Wilson 2.46 P. M., Goldsboro 4.05 P. M., Warsaw 4.59 P. M., Magnolia 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 9.25 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12.00 night, New York 5.50 A. M., Philadelphia 11.32 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.12 P. M., Richmond 6.57 P. M., Petersburg 9.46 A. M., Norfolk 12.30 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., *Tarboro 10.28 P. M., Rocky Mount 10.55 P. M., Leave Wilson 11.37 A. M., Goldsboro 12.40 A. M., Warsaw 1.30 A. M., Magnolia 2.08 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 12.30 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. No. 34—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.25 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.00 A. M., Charleston 5.40 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 3.00 P. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.20 P. M., Columbia 8.40 A. M., *Florence 8.55 P. M., Marion 10.25 A. M., Chadbourn 11.47 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 39—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.55 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.50 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 5.10 A. M., Marion 6.00 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.08 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.15 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4.18 P. M., Halifax 5.00 P. M., arrive Scotland Neck 6.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.30 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 3.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M and 5.15 P. M.; arrives Washington 11.00 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday

Train leave Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.25 P. M; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.40 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.50 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.28 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.58 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.20 P. M. arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.37 A. M., Dillon 10.49 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M., Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.06 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Elrod 6.10 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.05 P. M., Manning 5.43 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.28 P. M.; leave Lane's 6.37 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., *7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., *8.30 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M.; *5.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; *6.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.52 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 5.00 P. M.; arrive Darlington 5.25 P. M., Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

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Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.50 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.45 P. M. 11.15 P. M., Smithfield 3.00 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.32 A. M., Howland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.55 A. M. Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., 10.32 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 11.38 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 6.09 A. M. Creston 6.51 A. M., arrive Denmark 8.40 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.20 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 6.09 P. M. Daily.

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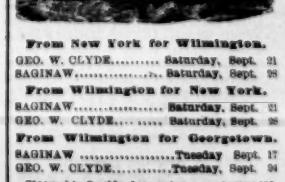

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 18.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S FIRST CABINET MEETING.

Desired to Know If There Were Matters of Moment Requiring Attention Before Departure for Canton.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 17.—President Roosevelt at 3 o'clock to-day convened his first cabinet meeting. At this meeting the President asked the members of Mr. McKinley's cabinet to retain their respective portfolios throughout his term and announced that his administration would follow the policy outlined by President McKinley in his Buffalo speech.

After the obsequies over the late President, the cabinet, at President Roosevelt's request, assembled at Commander Cowles' home where the President is staying until after the funeral, principally for the purpose of informing their new chief of the state of affairs in their respective departments. The President desired to learn if there were any matters of moment requiring his attention before his departure tonight for Canton. He was assured that there was nothing of pressing importance. The President then addressed his advisers collectively, as he had previously done individually, requesting them all to retain their respective positions in the cabinet. Mr. Roosevelt expressed the hope and expectation that every member would serve throughout his term for, he said, he tendered the appointments as if he had just been elected to the Presidency and was forming an original cabinet. The President said, however, there was one difference between the present tender and that of an original offer, namely, under the present circumstances they were not at liberty to decline. Upon being asked by a member if resignations should be formally presented in the usual manner, the President answered that his action at this meeting had precluded the necessity of presenting resignations. The discussion turned upon the policy of the administration and Mr. Roosevelt announced that he regarded the speech of the late President at the Buffalo Pan-American Exposition, the day previous to the tragic shooting, as outlining the policies to be followed by the administration. It cannot be learned at this time whether or not all the members will be willing to serve out the full term.

EN ROUTE FOR CANTON.

Departure of the Funeral Train From Washington—Waiting Crowds of People Along the Route.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, September 17, (On board the funeral train)—Leaving Washington the long winding train bearing the remains of the martyred President plunged out into the dark night and hurried like a black streak on its mournful journey. The curtains of the train were drawn as it pulled out of the station, save only for the observation car in which the corpse lay guarded by a soldier and a sailor of the republic. That car alone was flooded with light. The countless thousands extending from the station far out into the suburbs of the national capital, waiting patiently there in the drenching rain to pay their last farewell, had an opportunity to catch a last fleeting glimpse of the flag covered casket as the train sped by.

The funeral train was divided into three sections, running a minute apart. A section containing the Cuban committee and a number of officials of the government preceded the funeral train proper, and this in turn was preceded fifteen minutes by a pilot engine. The last section contained the guard of honor, headed by Major General Brooke and Admiral Dewey.

As the train came out of the long tunnels leading to Baltimore, before reaching Union station, thousands of silent forms could be seen, and the dismal tolling of the bells could be heard. A clear drawn bugle call sounded a requiem. At Union station crowds of people packed the station. The train which had arrived at 9:34 P. M. pulled out for the west a few minutes later.

COTTON CROP CONDITIONS.

Serious Injury Caused by Heavy Rains in Some Sections of the Cotton Belt. Opening Freely.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. — The Weather Bureau in its summary of weather crop conditions for the week ended September 15, says:

Heavy rains have proved unfavorable in the central and west Gulf States, in portions of the Ohio valley and Tennessee, and in the upper Missouri valley, while crops have suffered from the drought in the South Atlantic coast districts.

Excessive rains in the central and western portions of the cotton belt have caused serious injury to cotton and interfered with planting. Central and eastern Texas and portions of Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi have received from two to ten inches of rain. Over the eastern half of the cotton belt the rainfall has been moderate or very light, the coast districts receiving no appreciable amount, while the staple has opened freely and picking has progressed rapidly. Reports of rust and shedding continue from the central and eastern districts.

Except in Kentucky, where heavy rains have interfered with the cutting of tobacco, this crop is largely secured and the reports respecting it are generally favorable.

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STATE FUNERAL IN WASHINGTON.

Remains of President McKinley Taken From White House to the Capitol.

THE FUNERAL PROCESSION.

Services in the Rotunda of the Capitol. Simple and Impressive — Beautiful Floral Tributes—An Immense Concourse of People.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—All that is mortal of William McKinley is speeding toward its last resting place at his beloved home in Canton, Ohio, after the nation had officially and with state ceremony paid its tribute of respect and love to the memory of its stricken chief magistrate. This was almost the closing act in the awful tragedy which has drenched the civilized world in tears. Beneath the great white dome of the Capitol funeral services of state were held to-day over the remains of the dead President. The services were simple. They were conducted in accordance with the rites of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which President McKinley was a life-long member.

At the conclusion of the funeral services in the rotunda the casket lid was removed. At half-past twelve the crowds began to file through the rotunda, and during six hours in which the body was lying in state it is estimated that 55,000 people viewed the remains.

When the remains of the dead President were finally closed forever to the view of Washington people the cavalry escort again was formed and conveyed them to the special train which is now carrying the body to Canton.

The magnificent display of floral offerings, numbering no less than 125 pieces and making the most remarkable floral tribute ever seen here, were taken to the station from the Capitol in carriages and wagons and there placed aboard a special car which had been provided for them. Three sections, comprising in all twenty passenger coaches, were necessary to accommodate all those who accepted invitations to make the journey to Canton. The trains left Washington at 8:20 o'clock.

The Funeral Cortege.

The second stage of the late President's journey towards the waiting grave at Canton was begun just a few moments after 9 o'clock. As early as an hour before that time several members of the diplomatic corps, in court costume, called at the White House. Former President Cleveland and former Secretary of War Lamont arrived about 8:30 and were shown at once to seats in the red parlor. The members of the cabinet began to arrive soon after and were immediately followed by the members of the United States Supreme Court, headed by Chief Justice Fuller, in their robes of office.

President Roosevelt arrived at 8:50 o'clock, accompanied by his wife and sister, and went immediately to the blue parlor where they were joined by the members of the Cabinet. The President wore a frock coat with a band of crape on the left arm.

Senator Hanna reached the White House only a short time before the procession was to move. His face looked drawn, and leaning heavily on his cane it was painfully evident that he was suffering.

Many Floral Tributes.

During the night and morning a portion of the many beautiful floral tributes sent to the White House were placed upon the funeral casket. A design of over six feet in diameter, composed of smilax leaves and American beauty roses, about which was entwined the American flag, came from the Mayor and Council of Richmond, Va.

While the men of note were arriving at the White House the funeral escort under Major General John R. Brooke was forming immediately in front of the White House. Besides regulars of soldiers, sailors and marines, the escort was made of a detachment of the National Guard, members of the G. A. R. Loyal Legion and kindred bodies and civic organizations and representatives of all branches of the national government and the governors of States and their staffs. At exactly 9 o'clock a silent command was given and the body bearers silently and reverently raised to their stalwart shoulders the casket containing all that was mortal of the illustrious dead. They walked with slow cadenced steps and as they appeared at the main door of the White House the marine band stationed on the avenue opposite the mansion struck up the hymn the dead President loved so well, "Nearer My God to Thee."

The Mourners.

As the hearse moved away the mourners from the White House entered carriages and followed the body on its march to the Capitol where the funeral services were to be held. It was thought early in the morning that Mrs. McKinley might feel strong enough to attend the services there, but it was finally decided that it would be imprudent to tax her vitality more than was absolutely necessary, and so she concluded to remain in her room.

Slowly down the White House drive-way through a fine, drizzling rain, the solemn cortege wound its way down to the gate leading to the avenue and halted. Then, with a grand, solemn swing, the artillery band began the "Dead March From Saul," a blast from a bugle sounded "March," and the head of the procession was moving on its way to the Capitol. The casket was in a black carved hearse drawn by six coal black horses caparisoned in black net with trailing tassels, with a stalwart groom at the head of each.

The Procession.

Major General John R. Brooke was at the head of the line. Behind him came a squadron of cavalry, a battery of artillery, a company of engineers, two battalions of coast artillery and a detachment of the hospital corps. Then came the naval contingent of the first section, headed by the marine band, who were followed by a battalion of marines and one of sailors from the North Atlantic squadron, very picturesque and strong. Close behind the hearse came a carriage in which were seated ex-President Grover Cleveland, Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans and General John M. Wilson. In a carriage drawn by four fine black horses coming next, were President Roosevelt, Mrs. Roosevelt and Commander W. S. Cowles, the President's brother-in-law. Then followed a long line of carriages.

The Artillery Band played a solemn dirge as it with slow steps led the sorrowful way down the avenue. All the military organizations carried their arms, but with colors draped and furled. The crowds were silent. All was sad, mournful and impressive.

In the civic portions of the parade were the United Confederate Veterans of Alexandria, Va., the Southern Manufacturers Club of Charlotte and many Governors and their staffs.

The procession occupied an hour and a half passing a given point.

Arrival at the Capitol.

For hours before the arrival of the funeral cortege at the east front of the Capitol an impenetrable cordon of people was massed along the walk and areas fronting the plaza. Thousands upon thousands of sorrowing people had gathered here to pay their last tribute of respect and love to the memory of the dead magistrate. A drizzling rain began early to fall, but just before 10 o'clock the gray heavens opened and the rain fell almost in torrents.

At 10:12 o'clock the head of the procession arrived at the north end of the Capitol plaza. Headed by Major General John R. Brooke and staff, and the Fifth artillery corps band the troops swept around to the south end of the plaza and then marched to a position fronting the main entrance to the Capitol. As soon as it had formed at rest, an artillery band on the left and the marine band on the right of the entrance, the funeral cortege with its guard of honor entered the plaza from the north. As the hearse halted in front of the main staircase, the troops, responding to almost whispered commands, presented arms.

As the eight sturdy body-bearers—four from the army and four from the navy—tenderly drew the flag draped casket from the hearse, the bands sweetly wailed the pleading notes of "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Every head in the vast attendant throng was bared. Tear-bedimmed eyes were raised to heaven and a silent prayer went up from the thousands of hearts.

With careful and solemn tread the body-bearers began the ascent of the staircase with their precious burden and tenderly bore it to the catafalque in the rotunda.

In the Rotunda.

The funeral service at the Capitol over the remains were as simple and beautiful as is usual in the Methodist Church. Two hymns, a prayer, an address and a benediction composed all of it, yet the impression left at the end was of perfection.

The people were slow in gathering. Among the first comers were the army officers. General Randolph, in charge of the military arrangements at the Capitol was the first among those, and soon after came General Fitzhugh Lee.

Just at 10 o'clock Admiral Dewey made his appearance, accompanied by General Otis, General Davis and General Ruggles. He glanced over the scene within and then took up his station at the eastern entrance, where he was joined by the other members of the guard of honor. Admiral Schley was among the arrivals. The cabinet entered and were seated to the south of the platform, and then to the strains of "Nearer, My God, to Thee" by the marine band outside, the casket was borne into the rotunda. Every one arose. The guard of honor on either side separated and the casket was gently placed upon the catafalque. Next came the family of the deceased. Abner McKinley leading. They were seated near the head of the casket. Senator Hanna was with the family party. The diplomatic corps entered, all in full court regalia and were seated to the south. Former President Cleveland also entered and with General Wilson, his escort, sat in the front row. Lastly came President Roosevelt, escorted by Captain Cowles and preceded by Mr. Cortelyou, secretary to the President. He was given a seat at the end of the row occupied by the cabinet, just south of the casket. Mr. Roosevelt's face was set and he appeared to be restraining his emotions with difficulty.

The Services.

When the noise occasioned by seating the late comers had ceased a hush fell upon the people and then the choir softly sang, "Lead Kindly Light," while every one stood in reverence.

At the conclusion of the hymn Rev. Dr. Henry R. Naylor, presiding elder of the Washington district M. E. Church, delivered the invocation while the distinguished company listened with bowed heads.

As the pastor ceased the voices of the choir swelled forth, and the pure soprano notes of Mrs. Thomas C. Noyes led the hymn "Sometime We'll Understand." The music was remarkably effective and touching as the notes came back in soft echoes from the fullness of the dome overhead.

As soon as the hymn ceased Bishop Edward G. Andrews, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who had come from Ohio to say the last words over the remains of his lifelong friend and parishioner, arose. He stood at the head of the casket and spoke in sympathetic voice and with evidences of deep emotion.

The address lasted but a bare quarter of an hour. As the bishop concluded every one in the vast rotunda rose and the choir, intoning the air, hundreds of voices joined in the grand old hymn, "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

It was an affecting moment. In the midst of the singing Admiral Robley Evans, advancing with silent tread, placed a beautiful blue floral cross at the foot of the casket.

The last notes died away softly, and with uplifted hands the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. W. H. Chapman, acting pastor of the Metropolitan church. This ended the religious service.

Viewing the Remains.

As soon as the rotunda was cleared of those who had been invited to attend the religious services, the bier was prepared for the inspection of the general public. The floral offerings which covered the coffin were put aside and the lid lifted from the head of the coffin.

The crowd entered through the east main door of the capitol and passed out through the west exit. The people came in double file, one line passing to the right and the other to the left of the casket. Only a hurried glance was permitted to any one. About 130 people were enabled to view the remains every minute.

The crowd consisted of men, women and children, and all colors and ages were represented. Many children were carried through the building in the arms of their parents.

As the body of the dead President lay in state it was guarded by representatives of all branches of the nation's martial service, under command of General W. F. Randolph, chief of artillery. The whole scene was photographed scores of times. Apparently the throng was in an apprehensive state of mind, for every time a flash-light picture was taken piteous screams were heard from the people about the entrance.

Some of the Attendants.

Among the hundreds of other distinguished persons who were in attendance upon the funeral service were Governor Aycock, of North Carolina, and Governor White, of West Virginia. Col. A. C. Kaufman, of Charleston represented Governor McSweeney, of South Carolina, and conveyed the governor's regrets that he was unable personally to attend.

Among others present were Senators Mallory, of Florida; Tillman, of South Carolina, and Daniel, of Virginia; Representatives Rixey, of Virginia; Kitchin, of North Carolina, and Richardson, of Tennessee.

E. A. Webster, Republican national committeeman and collector of internal revenue for South Carolina, died yesterday at his home in Orangeburg.

LEON CZOLGOSZ AGAIN ARRAIGNED.

Will be Tried Monday Next for the Murder of President Wm. McKinley.

AGAIN REFUSED TO PLEAD.

Maintained a Stubborn Silence and Would Answer No Questions—His Counsel May Enter a Plea of Insanity. Taken Back to Prison.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept 17.—Leon F. Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, was arraigned before Judge Edward K. Emory, in the county court at 3 o'clock this afternoon on the indictment for murder in the first degree in fatally shooting the President in the Temple of Music at the Pan-American Exposition on September 6th. Again the stubborn prisoner refused to plead or even to utter a word or sound and the Hon. Lorain L. Lewis, ex-supreme court justice, entered a plea of not guilty. The accused will be tried in the Supreme Court next Monday morning.

Crowds flocked to the city hall today to see the prisoner, but the uncertainty surrounding the question as to whether or not counsel could be secured for him saved congestion of the court room and corridors of the hall.

The most notable incident of the day was the hissing of the prisoner by the crowds who surged around him as he was being escorted down the stairs which were still draped in mourning garb. The strong guard of patrolmen and deputy sheriffs had been dispensed with so that the people were able to get nearer to him as he passed to and from the court.

His Counsel.

As a result of the urging of President Adelbert Moot, of the Erie County Bar Association, Judge Lewis, one of the attorneys assigned as counsel by Judge Emory yesterday, called at the Erie county jail at 2 o'clock this afternoon to see the prisoner. Czolgosz refused to talk to Judge Lewis and refused to answer questions as to whether or not he wanted any counsel. Judge Lewis said that nevertheless he would appear for the prisoner upon arraignment, even if he decided not to accept the assignment of the court.

Absolutely no demonstration having been made against the prisoner yesterday the authorities decided that the strong guard was unnecessary today, and Czolgosz was taken from the jail through the tunnel under Delaware avenue to the city hall by Detectives Solomon and Geary, being handcuffed to the latter.

Prisoner Unmoved.

In passing from the basement of the city hall to the court room on the second floor Czolgosz was compelled to pass close to the black and white bunting with which the pillars, ceilings, windows and stairways of the city hall were draped when the body of the President was lying in state on Sunday, which garb will not be removed until after the burial on Thursday. These evidences of the city's grief apparently made not the slightest impression on the prisoner and he gave no more heed to them or the large portraits of the President tastily draped with American flags than he did to the questions of the court or the district attorney. The prisoner entered the court room just as the city hall clock was striking three o'clock and as many of the spectators as could, surged into the room behind him. A murmur ran through the audience but the gavel of the judge and the tipstaff of the crier soon restored order.

Formal Arraignment.

As soon as Czolgosz was before the bar and the handcuffs were removed District Attorney Penney began the formal arraignment. He read the principal charges of the indictment in a voice of severity and asked:

"How do you plead, guilty or not guilty?"

Not a sound was uttered by the prisoner. He stood mute before the bar of justice, apparently continuing his feint of insanity which was noticed for the first time when he was taken into court yesterday afternoon. His curly hair was dishevelled and although his linen was white and clean his disordered clothes and the growth of his beard gave him an unkempt appearance. Spectators in the court room commented on the fact that if he was shaved, which he has not been since the day of the shooting, he would be a fairly good looking young man. Although his demeanor was still of stubbornness he gave little more evidence of concern than upon his first presence in court. When questions were being asked of him rapidly, he moistened his lips with his tongus and seemed to be endeavoring to maintain the appearance of stolid indifference.

Refused to Plead.

When the prisoner refused to plead, the district attorney asked him if he understood what had been read, and receiving no answer, told him that he had been indicted for murder in the first degree and that he could answer "yes," or "no." For an instant Czolgosz glanced at Mr. Penney and it was thought he intended to speak, but he did not.

Judge Lewis then addressed the court at length, saying that he had called upon the defendant, but had been unable to ascertain of any wish on the defendant's part as to the employment of counsel. He said that his associate, Judge Titus, was in Milwaukee, but that he had appeared informally to enter a plea of not guilty on behalf of the defendant as the law required such a plea under the circumstances. He asked permission to reserve the right to withdraw the plea and enter a special plea or interpose a demurrer, if after consulting with Judge Titus they should decide not to ask the court to assign other counsel.

Trial Next Monday.

The judge expressed his regret that his name had been mentioned in connection with this trial, as he had been out of practice for some considerable time and had a very strong repugnance to appearing, although that was a reason which would apply to every lawyer.

District Attorney Penney gave notice that he would move to have the indictment transferred to the Supreme Court for trial and would also notice the trial for next Monday morning.

"I know of no reason why the defendant should not be ready next Monday," replied Judge Lewis. At his request, however, the orders will not be entered until Judge Titus returns, which will probably be within a day or two.

Judge Lewis said that he might also like an order of the court for alienists to examine the prisoner, as the district attorney had informed him that doctors had examined the prisoner on behalf of the people. This gave rise to the belief that a special plea of insanity may be entered by the counsel for the defence.

"Remove the prisoner," said Judge Emory, and Czolgosz was taken back to jail by the underground route, again passing the garb of mourning.

Titus May Not Accept.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., September 17.—Judge Robert C. Titus, of Buffalo, received a long telegram to-day from the Buffalo Bar Association, urging him to accept the appointment and make a defence of Czolgosz. The message stated that while the natural instincts of the people were such that they wanted a speedy punishment, still the law demanded that he should be given a fair trial. If the man was insane the death penalty could not be inflicted, but if sane then he should have a trial in keeping with the ideas of justice. It should be dignified and should not be a farce, because such a trial would do more harm to law than it would do good. Judge Titus has been called up by his friends by long distance telephone and urged not to accept the appointment. He said to-night that he could not tell whether or not he would accept. Should he do so, the judge says it might possibly ruin the work of a life time.

MANY PEOPLE WERE INJURED

In the Rush to See the Remains of the Dead President in the Rotunda of the Capitol.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The opening of the doors of the rotunda of the Capitol, in order to permit an inspection of the remains of President McKinley, caused a rush of the vast throng that had been congregated on the east side of the building since early morning. The result was that many women and children were badly hurt. The crowd brushed by the police cordon stationed at the foot of the steps as if they had been chaff. A terrible congestion on the Capitol steps and at the entrance door followed. At the latter point there was such extreme pressure that numbers of women fainted. Many who thus became helpless were lifted up bodily and carried out over the heads of the crowd, while others, less fortunate, were trampled underfoot and seriously bruised. Of the latter twelve or fifteen were taken into the Capitol. The room immediately under the rotunda where the President's remains lay was a temporary hospital, filled with screaming women, lying prone upon improvised couches. One of them had a broken arm and another had suffered internal injuries, which caused excruciating pain. The office of the captain of police also was used to accommodate the injured as were several places about the building. Indeed the rotunda itself was used to that end by some of the less badly injured and by many who had their clothing torn, as hundreds had had. It is estimated that no fewer than fifty women and children were injured to some extent, but most of them were able to go to their homes. A few were taken to the Emergency hospital.

The crush at the east front of the Capitol began at 11:30 o'clock. A squad of representatives of several veteran organizations had just left the parade and marched toward the Capitol immediately after the casket had been borne into the rotunda. This started a slight movement in the front of the crowd. Several persons ran, others followed, and a V-shaped wedge, point foremost, was soon going with considerable momentum. Five of the orderlies were caught in the rush. One policeman was pushed through a window. Another policeman was forced up five steps on his horse.

Of the injured, thirty-two were treated at the hospitals and removed to their homes in the police wagons. In addition, twenty-five were sent home in private carriages. Forty were treated at the Capitol and eight cases were sent to the casualty hospital. Most of those treated were suffering from fainting spells, but a considerable number were tramped on and badly hurt. No one was fatally injured.

CHICAGO ANARCHISTS.

The Hearing Postponed Until Next Week Fear of Mob Violence the Cause. Case of Emma Goldman.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Another recess in the anarchist habeas corpus proceedings was taken to-day, the hearing being postponed till Monday, at the request of counsel for the prisoners. Fear of mob violence should the anarchists appear on the streets was the chief influence with the prisoners in allowing their attorneys to make the motion which will keep them behind the bars for another week.

The prisoners were in court hardly long enough to get settled in their seats when the recess was taken and they were marched out again. Their faces were expressionless, but all breathed a sigh of relief when the court announced that the jail would be their home until the public demonstrations are over. The utmost care was taken to prevent any harm being done them. A company of police, stationed at intervals of fifteen yards, surrounded the criminal court building and guarded every entrance. Only lawyers, reporters, officials of the court and friends and relatives of the prisoners were allowed in the court room.

Emma Goldman received the news of the postponement with Ler customary jibes and declared that she feared no mob. She is still incarcerated in the woman's annex of the Harrison street station.

The hearing of her case was set for September 19th, but it is probable the proceedings will again be postponed until Judge Ohetlain decides the case of the other anarchists. Magistrate Prindiville wishing to follow the lead of the upper court.

THE TROPICAL STORM.

Hurricane Reported Approaching Pensacola From the Gulf.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PENSACOLA, FLA., Sept. 17.—A hurricane is reported approaching Pensacola from the Gulf. All vessels in the harbor were run out into midstream this evening and are prepared for severe weather to-night. The wind blew strongly all night and to-day, but no damage was done.

The Pan-American Exposition.

Will close October 31st. Those who have not yet visited this marvelous Wonderland are reminded that the time is growing short. In order to permit every citizen in the territory traversed by its lines to take the trip, the Seaboard Air Line Railway has placed in effect a rate of practically one fare for the round trip to Buffalo and return; tickets on sale September 3d to October 20th, inclusive; tickets good to return within twenty days from date of sale. This liberal concession should meet with a hearty response on the part of the travelling public, and many will doubtless avail themselves of the opportunity of attending this last and largest of National Expositions.

ANARCHISTS TERRORIZED.

Thirty Armed Men Raided a Settlement of Foreigners in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 17.—A *Commercial-Gazette* special from a staff correspondent says thirty armed men, imitating the movement of the famous Ku Klux Klan, raided the anarchists at Guffey Hollow, Westmoreland county, Pa., Sunday night and forced twenty-five families to take their departure from the town before daylight. The raiders surrounded the house and terrorized the anarchists by firing Winchesters and revolvers and yelling like Indians.

During a lull during the fusilade, one of the anarchists who could speak English, ventured from his house under a flag of truce and had a parley with the invaders. The result of the conference was that the anarchists agreed to be responsible for the immediate removal of the whole colony. By the terms of the capitulation the foreigners were to leave the place with their wives, children and all their belongings before daybreak. They kept their contract and before the sun rose every house in the settlement was deserted. The only favor they asked in return for their exodus was that their lives should be spared.

FIGHTING IN COLOMBIA.

Town of Bocas Del Toro Attacked by the Insurgents.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MOBILE, ALA., September 17.—Captain Halvorsen, of the Norwegian steamship Harald, from Bocas del Toro, Colombia, reports that on Wednesday last the town was attacked by the besieging force (insurgents) who were repulsed. The fight began in the early morning and lasted until about 10 o'clock. Owing to the quarantine regulations which prohibits personal communication between vessels and the shore, it was impossible to learn the details of the fight

WARM WIRELETS.

A Los Angeles, Cal, dispatch says: James J Jeffries failed to put out Hank Griffin (colored) in four rounds and forfeited $100.

The British steamer Sanda, previously reported ashore on St. Helena bar, was pulled off Monday and proceeded to Newport News for coal.

Fifty men of the Gate City Guard, in command of Captain J. F. O'Neil, left Atlanta last night for Canton, Ohio, to take part in the funeral of President McKinley.

A terrific explosion of gas in the Spring Gulch mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, caused the death of six miners and the serious injury of three others.

A dispatch from Americus, Ga., says rain has been falling in torrents in that section for two ays past. Great damage to the cotton crop is feared. Pickers have suspended work.

Yesterday was the first big day of the Sovereign Grand lodge of Odd Fellows, in session at Indianapolis. The chief event was the parade, which was one of the best in the history of the order. There were 25,000 men in line.

A London dispatch says: Arrangements have been made to hold memorial services in most of the British cathedrals and churches to morrow (Thursday), as well as in a majority of the continental and colonial capitals.

Mayor Neuman, of Cliffside Park, N. J., has notified Mrs. Brescl, the widow of the man who killed King Humbert, that it would be as well if she moved from the borough at an early date. The notification was not a threat but simply an invitation to go.

A Knoxville dispatch says: Alex Miller, of Meat Springs, N. C., is in jail at Mountain City for the shooting of Marion Wilson and father, J. J. Wilson. The latter is reported fatally wounded. Miller is a returned Philippine soldier. Since his arrest Miller is said to have confessed to having killed two men and one woman.

The Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to Washington, D. C., on the 17th, good for five days, on account of funeral of President McKinley. One fare for the round trip.

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Notice—The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Onslow Land and Investment Co. will be held at the office of the undersigned, Room No. 7, Masonic Temple, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, September 24th, 1901, at 12 o'clock M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. sep 14 9t

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